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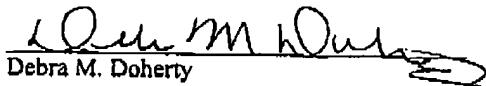
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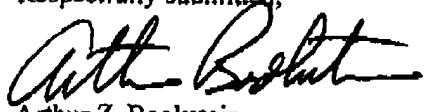
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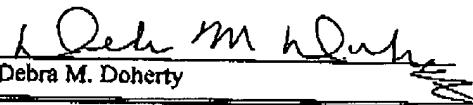
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In response to the office action of November 21, 2007 and the telephone discussions with Examiner Prone on December 4 and 7, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the list of claims which begin on page two (2) of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page eight (8) of this paper.